Andrei Medvedev was a great friend and scientist. Over several years I had the honor of participating in his research on TLR4 signaling in human monocytes. I was always impressed by Andrei's high level of scientific expertise that resulted in the publication of seminal papers documenting the complex TLR4 signaling pathway components. Throughout his scientific career; as evident in his extensive publication record, Andrei was highly successful in several areas of research in addition to his research on TLR4 signaling. As an outstanding scientist Andrei was always humble and cared about the success of those in his laboratory and other scientists. I count it a real privilege to have known Andrei. He will be sorely missed.

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